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& THAT COLUMN	PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(A) FY 2005								
Confirmation No.:	2215	Docket No.:	ABB01207P01213US						
Serial No.:	10/512,033	Filing Date:	September 15, 2005						
Group Art Unit:	1797	Examiner:	David A. Reifsnyder						
Applicant(s):	Scott G. Safar et al								
Invention:	STRUCTURE AND METHOD FOR BIOLOGICAL ASSAYS	R HANDLING MAGNET	IC PARTICLES IN						

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner For Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application.

Extension Fee Within:		First Month		Second Month		Third Month		Fourth Month		Fifth Month				
-	Entity: Entity:	⊠	\$130.00 \$65.00		\$490.00 \$245.00		\$1,110.00 \$555.00		\$1,730.00 \$865.00	0	\$2,350.00 \$1,175.00			
	Applicant claims small entity status													
Ø	A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.													
	Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 23-0785.													
Ø	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required in connection with this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-0785. Respectfully submitted,													

Approx L. Clark, Reg. No. 29,141

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